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By: IKEMASU, et al.  
Title: Insulation Structure for Wiring Which is Suitable for Self-Aligned-Contact  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **April 1, 2003**, please amend the above-identified  
application as follows: